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1. [redacted] a large naval vessel was seen at anchor some miles south of Zimnegor-skiy Point (N 65-34, E 39-30). At dawn, the vessel hoisted anchor and steamed northward. The vessel had one stack. [redacted]
[redacted]
2. During the afternoon of 2 October, a small minesweeper carried out maneuvers in the roadstead between Arkhangelsk and Keg Island. It maneuvered back and forth for about one and a half hours. The vessel had a great deal of equipment on deck, but none of it was used during the maneuvers. On each side of the bow there was a tube which lay parallel to the bow and was connected to something on the forecastle. The tubes did not resemble the "hammers" used for sweeping acoustic mines. On both sides of the deck there was a row of objects resembling torpedoes. On each side of the afterdeck there were two egg-shaped objects about one meter long. On the pointed end of these objects there were two or more fins, and on the side there were a number of rings.
3. [redacted] a large green field without runways on Keg Island. When aircraft landed during rainy weather, the water splashed up high. On the east side of the field there were two northwest to southeast parallel rows of lights. The west row was red and the east row white. The aircraft that landed on the field resembled DC-3s. [redacted] several jet aircraft over Arkhangelsk, but they did not land at Keg Island.
4. [redacted] a special vessel in the harbor of Arkhangelsk. It was about 200 feet long and had some high structure forward, possibly a crane or hoist of some type, and two stacks with blue bands around them. The vessel was motor-powered.
5. [redacted]

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